

Hundredth Legislature - First Session - 2007 Committee Statement LB 154

Hearing Date: January 18, 2007

Committee On: Judiciary

Introducer(s): (Burling, 33)

Title: Eliminate certain exemptions from jury service

Roll Call Vote - Final Committee Action:

Advanced to General File

Advanced to General File with Amendments

X Indefinitely Postponed

Vote Results:

7 Yes Ashford, Chambers, Lathrop, McDonald, McGill, Pirsch, Schimek

No

Present, not voting

Explanation of amendments, if any:

1 Absent Pedersen

Proponents: Representing:

Senator Burling

Opponents: Representing:

Marlene Vetick Clerks of the District Courts Association

Neutral: Representing:

Summary of purpose and/or changes: Legislative Bill 154 amends N.R.S. §25-1601 (Cumm. Supp. 2006) by removing the provision allowing for potential jurors who are sixty-five years of age or older to be exempted from serving on grand and petite juries. The bill also removes redundant language regarding nursing mothers requesting to be excused from jury service.

Senator Brad Ashford, Chairperson